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Our Matter # 20699/05000 For Services Through 05/11/06
Name of Matter: AVANTech, Inc. v. Chem Nuclear Systems, LLC

05/01/06	Attorneys' conference. S.E. HARPER	0.20 hrs.	\$68.00
05/01/06	Review Plaintiffs' Reply to Defendants' Response to Rule 50 and Rule 59 motions. D.W. DURBAN	2.30 hrs.	\$609.50
05/02/06	Receive and review memo from Sharra Arnold.; gather materials requested by Ms. Arnold and forward to her; telephone conference with Daryl Hawkins. S.E. HARPER	1.30 hrs.	\$442.00
05/02/06	Review Defendants' petition for attorneys' fees and cases, information reserved for reply in preparation for drafting same. E.H. HINSON	2.10 hrs.	\$514.50
05/03/06	Telephone conference with Mr. Braun; communications with Ms. Arnold and others regarding requested documents; forward requested documents to Ms. Arnold. S.E. HARPER	0.90 hrs.	\$306.00
05/03/06	Review Plaintiffs' motion in response to ours for attorneys' fees. S.E. HARPER	1.30 hrs.	\$442.00
05/03/06	Review two briefs of Plaintiffs filed recently; consider possible response. S.E. HARPER	1.60 hrs.	\$544.00
05/03/06	Review and analysis of Plaintiff's response to our motion for attorney fees. C.N. KILLEN	2.10 hrs.	\$808.50
05/03/06	Review Plaintiffs' memorandum opposing petition for attorneys' fees and costs. E.H. HINSON	1.10 hrs.	\$269.50
05/03/06	Telephone conference with Attorney Durban regarding thoughts, strategy for reply to Plaintiffs' memorandum opposing petition for attorneys' fees and costs. E.H. HINSON	0.20 hrs.	\$49.00
05/03/06	Review Plaintiffs' Memorandum in Opposition to Award of Attorneys' Fees; conference with Attorney Hinson regarding Defendants' Reply. D.W. DURBAN	1.00 hrs.	\$265.00
05/04/06	Meet with defense team to analyze and plan reply to attorneys' fees opposition.		

	S.E. HARPER	2.00 hrs.	\$680.00
05/04/06	Memo to Bob Knowlton; file motion with court. S.E. HARPER	0.40 hrs.	\$136.00
05/04/06	Work on response to attorneys' fee memo. S.E. HARPER	0.70 hrs.	\$238.00
05/04/06	Continue to review and analysis of Plaintiff's response to Defendant's motion for attorney fees; extended meeting with Attorneys Harper, Durban and Hinson to discuss strategy for responding to same. C.N. KILLEN	5.00 hrs.	\$1,925.00
05/04/06	Office conference with Attorneys Harper, Killen, and Durban regarding strategy for reply to Plaintiffs' memorandum opposing petition for attorneys' fees and costs. E.H. HINSON	2.00 hrs.	\$490.00
05/04/06	Draft motion requesting extension for deadline to reply to Plaintiffs' memorandum opposing petition for attorneys' fees and costs. E.H. HINSON	0.30 hrs.	\$73.50
05/04/06	Begin reviewing cases cited by Plaintiffs in their memorandum opposing petition for attorneys' fees and costs. E.H. HINSON	2.40 hrs.	\$588.00
05/04/06	Begin drafting reply to Plaintiffs' memorandum opposing petition for attorneys' fees and costs. E.H. HINSON	1.50 hrs.	\$367.50
05/04/06	Office conference with Attorney Durban regarding results of research, review of cases cited by Plaintiffs' in their memorandum opposing petition for attorneys' fees and costs. E.H. HINSON	0.20 hrs.	\$49.00
05/04/06	Conference with Attorneys Erwin, Killen, and Hinson to discuss strategy and plan for replying to Plaintiffs' Response to Attorney Fee Motion. D.W. DURBAN	1.80 hrs.	\$477.00
05/05/06	Draft reply to attorneys' fee memorandum; revise. S.E. HARPER	5.00 hrs.	\$1,700.00
05/05/06	Continue reviewing cases cited by Plaintiffs in their memorandum opposing petition for attorneys' fees and costs and research cases refuting same. E.H. HINSON	2.00 hrs.	\$490.00
05/05/06	Telephone conference with Attorney Durban regarding strategy for responding to Plaintiffs' memorandum opposing petition for attorneys' fees and costs. E.H. HINSON	0.30 hrs.	\$73.50
05/06/06	Review and revise draft of reply memorandum (attorneys' fees). S.E. HARPER	1.00 hrs.	\$340.00
05/06/06	Continue reviewing cases cited by Plaintiffs in their memorandum opposing petition for attorneys' fees and costs and research cases refuting same. E.H. HINSON	2.10 hrs.	\$514.50
05/07/06	Continue reviewing cases cited by Plaintiffs in their memorandum opposing petition for attorneys' fees and costs and research cases refuting same.		

	E.H. HINSON	0.80 hrs.	\$196.00
05/07/06	Draft portions of reply to Plaintiffs' memorandum opposing petition for attorneys' fees and costs.		
	E.H. HINSON	2.00 hrs.	\$490.00
05/08/06	Begin work on draft of Reply to Plaintiffs' Response to Attorneys' Fees Petition.		
	D.W. DURBAN	3.50 hrs.	\$927.50
05/08/06	Draft portions of reply to Plaintiffs' memorandum opposing petition for attorneys' fees and costs.		
	E.H. HINSON	0.80 hrs.	\$196.00
05/09/06	Work on preparation of portions of reply to plaintiffs' response to our motion for attorney fees.		
	C.N. KILLEN	2.10 hrs.	\$808.50
05/09/06	Continue to work on draft of Defendants' Reply to Plaintiffs' Response to Attorneys' Fee provision; including case law research regarding intertwinement of claims, whether wealth of a party is relevant, and whether Individual Defendants can recover for fees paid for by AVANTech.		
	D.W. DURBAN	6.40 hrs.	\$1,696.00
05/09/06	Telephone conferences with Attorney Durban regarding strategy for reply to Plaintiffs' memorandum opposing petition for attorneys' fees and costs.		
	E.H. HINSON	0.30 hrs.	\$73.50
05/10/06	Finalize and file reply to opposition to attorneys' fees motion.		
	S.E. HARPER	5.20 hrs.	\$1,768.00
05/10/06	Review various filings in case in preparation for working on reply to plaintiffs' response on attorney fee motion; legal research regarding exceptional case standards and other relevant issues; prepare my portions of reply; review and revise same; review entire reply and make revisions to same.		
	C.N. KILLEN	6.20 hrs.	\$2,387.00
05/10/06	Telephone conferences with Attorney Durban regarding strategy for reply to Plaintiffs' memorandum opposing petition for attorneys' fees and costs.		
	E.H. HINSON	0.20 hrs.	\$49.00
05/10/06	Continue to work on draft of Reply to Plaintiffs' Response in Opposition to Attorneys' Fee Petition.		
	D.W. DURBAN	4.30 hrs.	\$1,139.50
05/10/06	Edits to Reply to Plaintiffs' Response in Opposition to Attorneys' Fees Petition.		
	D.W. DURBAN	3.50 hrs.	\$927.50
05/10/06	Shepardize cases cited and check cites for correctness prior to filing Reply to Plaintiffs' Response to Attorneys' Fees Petition; brief; prepare exhibits for filing.		
	D.W. DURBAN	1.10 hrs.	\$291.50
05/11/06	Memos to team members regarding amended fee application and release of all time.		
	S.E. HARPER	0.20 hrs.	\$68.00
05/11/06	Draft affidavit of Attorney Harper regarding additional fees incurred in cases and arrange for copies of time entries to be printed and prepared for same.		
	E.H. HINSON	0.50 hrs.	\$122.50

Fees for Legal Services \$23,600.50

BILLING SUMMARY

	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Rate/Hr</u>	<u>Dollars</u>
S.E. HARPER	19.80	340.00	6,732.00
C.N. KILLEN	15.40	385.00	5,929.00
D.W. DURBAN	23.90	265.00	6,333.50
E.H. HINSON	18.80	245.00	4,606.00
TOTAL	77.90	302.96	23,600.50

CHARGES FOR OTHER SERVICES PROVIDED/EXPENSES INCURRED

04/29/2006	Service: LEXIS LEGAL SERVICES; Charge Type: SINGLE DOCUMENT RETRIEVAL; Quantity: 9.00	4.67
04/29/2006	Service: SHEPARD'S SERVICE; Charge Type: LEGAL CITATION SERVICES; Quantity: 4.00	1.86
05/01/2006	VENDOR: Alston & Bird, L.L.P.; INVOICE#: 10049445; DATE: 5/1/2006 - Outside attorney's invoice for declaration regarding reasonableness of fees	2,520.00
05/03/2006	Service: LEXIS LEGAL SERVICES; Charge Type: SINGLE DOCUMENT RETRIEVAL; Quantity: 1.00	0.44
05/04/2006	Service: LEXIS LEGAL SERVICES; Charge Type: SINGLE DOCUMENT RETRIEVAL; Quantity: 3.00	1.31
05/04/2006	Service: LEXIS LEGAL SERVICES; Charge Type: SINGLE DOCUMENT RETRIEVAL; Quantity: 6.00	2.64
05/04/2006	Service: SHEPARD'S SERVICE; Charge Type: LEGAL CITATION SERVICES; Quantity: 2.00	0.79
05/04/2006	Service: LEXIS LEGAL SERVICES; Charge Type: SEARCHES; Quantity: 2.00	7.90
05/05/2006	Service: LEXIS LEGAL SERVICES; Charge Type: DOCUMENT PRINTING; Quantity: 13.00	7.34
05/05/2006	Service: LEXIS LEGAL SERVICES; Charge Type: SEARCHES; Quantity: 6.00	43.72
05/05/2006	Service: LEXIS LEGAL SERVICES; Charge Type: SINGLE DOCUMENT RETRIEVAL; Quantity: 14.00	6.17
05/05/2006	Service: LEXIS LEGAL SERVICES; Charge Type: TOC DOCUMENT LINKS; Quantity: 3.00	1.14
05/05/2006	Service: SHEPARD'S SERVICE; Charge Type: LEGAL CITATION SERVICES; Quantity: 2.00	0.78
05/05/2006	Service: LEXIS LEGAL SERVICES; Charge Type: SEARCHES; Quantity: 2.00	18.69
05/05/2006	Service: LEXIS LEGAL SERVICES; Charge Type: SINGLE DOCUMENT RETRIEVAL; Quantity: 7.00	3.07
05/06/2006	Service: LAW REVIEWS; Charge Type: SEARCHES; Quantity: 1.00	8.21
05/06/2006	Service: LEXIS LEGAL SERVICES; Charge Type: DOCUMENT PRINTING; Quantity: 4.00	2.26
05/06/2006	Service: LEXIS LEGAL SERVICES; Charge Type: SEARCHES; Quantity: 11.00	118.16
05/06/2006	Service: LEXIS LEGAL SERVICES; Charge Type: SINGLE DOCUMENT RETRIEVAL; Quantity: 5.00	2.20
05/06/2006	Service: SHEPARD'S SERVICE; Charge Type: LEGAL CITATION SERVICES; Quantity: 2.00	0.77

Total Charges for Other Services Provided/Expenses Incurred **\$2,752.12**

DISBURSEMENT SUMMARY

<u>Description</u>	<u>Dollars</u>
Lexis	232.12
Outside Services	2,520.00
TOTAL	<u>\$2,752.12</u>

Net current billing for this invoice..... **\$26,352.62**